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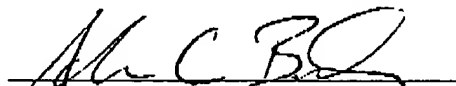
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The drawings filed 11/14/01 have been received. However, an inconsistency exists between the drawings and the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification.

Figures 29-32 are listed in the Brief Description of the Drawings in the specification but not contained in the Drawings.

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Applicant is required to correct the above-noted inconsistency within a time period of **ONE MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS, whichever is longer**, from the mailing date of this Notice, or within the time remaining in the time period set forth in the Notice of Allowability (Form PTOL-37) to file corrected drawings, whichever is longer. **NO EXTENSION OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER EITHER 37 CFR 1.136 (a) OR (b)**

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